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## RICHESON READY TO DIE; DOES NOT WANT DELAY

Showers probable to-night and to-morrow.

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### AUTO DASHES FROM BRIDGE, SINKS TO RIVER BOTTOM DROWNING FIVE RIDERS

Two Women and Three Men Meet Instant Death on Midnight Ride in Chicago.

ONLY ONE BODY FOUND.

Victims Were Joy Riders Invited by Chauffeur for Spin in Borrowed Car.

CHICAGO, May 20.—Five persons, three men and two women, were drowned early to-day when the automobile in which they were riding plunged into the Calumet River at the Ninety-second street bridge.

One of the women jumped into the river as the automobile was reached, according to a witness. Her body was found, but none of the others had been recovered up to a late hour to-day.

The automobile, which was going fully forty miles an hour, turned completely over as it went into the river. Only one of the party was seen afterward. One of the men swam for several minutes. The watchman threw a life preserver to him, but he apparently did not see it and went down.

The bridge had been swung to allow a boat to pass, and, although a warning was shouted to the driver of the machine by the watchman, the former was unable to avert the brakes in time to save the party.

Divers attached ropes to the automobile and the top was raised to the surface. The State license tag came into view, showing No. 7.

The license, according to the records, was issued to O. W. Cannon of No. 50 Vermont street, Danville, Ill.

**CHAUFFEUR TOOK FRIENDS ON A JOY RIDE.**

Examination of the car definitely established that it was owned by Mrs. C. F. Spaulding of No. 1309 Astor street. It was driven by John Buchanan, a chauffeur, temporarily employed by Mrs. Spaulding. He took the car with out permission and invited two women and two men friends to ride with him. With this knowledge the police ceased working on the theory that the car might have been owned by C. F. Cannon of Danville.

The women were declared to be Anna and Florence Mahoney, sisters. Relatives of the young women said they were invited by Buchanan to take a ride in the machine and were expected to return by midnight. Hours elapsed after the accident before the identity of the victims was known. Some of the witnesses declared that there were at least six persons in the automobile when it plunged into the stream. It was the body of Anna Mahoney that was recovered.

Grappling irons were dragged far down the stream from where the automobile plunged, but no other bodies other than that of the young woman were found. Grappling irons were fastened on the sunken machine, and a diver went down to see whether the bodies were still pinned beneath the car or had been carried out into Lake Michigan by the strong current.

The auto was speeding forty miles an hour when it made the fatal plunge. A policeman two blocks from the open drawbridge shouted a warning at them. Unheeding, the joy party sped on, passing two other bluecoats who waved and shouted that the bridge was open.

Near the bridge a fourth policeman stood guard. He ran into the street, lifted his nightstick and shouted. The chauffeur saw the danger when less than a score of feet from the open draw. He made a quick turn with the wheel, choosing in a brief instant to run head-on into a stone abutment rather than to plunge his car and his passengers into the river. His action served only to throw the car half way around, and gliding sideways, it crashed through the safety chain, turned over in the air, and the screaming occupants were silenced as the water closed over them.

DANVILLE, Ill., May 20.—O. W. Cannon, nephew of Representative Joseph C. Cannon, and whose motor car license number is 5, the same as that on the automobile which early to-day ran into the Calumet River, Chicago, said that his car was safe in his garage here. He and Mrs. Cannon made a trip to Chicago and back in the car last week.

World Building, Turkish Baths, Shower, etc. Bath with private rooms, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

### ETHEL CROKER GETS A DIVORCE BY JURY'S VERDICT

Findings at Second Trial Are Against Son-in-Law of Ex-Tammany Leader.

NEW WOMAN IN CASE.

One Witness Quotes Breen as Saying He'd Been Offered \$50,000 Not to Contest.

A jury in the Supreme Court returned a verdict to Justice Ford to-day declaring Ethel Croker Breen, daughter of Richard Croker, former Tammany sachem, had reason to obtain a divorce from John J. Breen. The formal entry of a decree will follow.

Before deciding that Breen had been guilty of misconduct with Miss Maude Diehl, who appeared as a witness in the first suit instituted by Mrs. Breen, and with an English woman known as Mrs. Reese, who is said to live in Peterboro, Canada, the jury heard one witness for Mrs. Breen say that Richard Croker's son-in-law had been promised \$50,000 if he would not contest a suit for divorce but that he was "holding out" for \$100,000.

Miss Diehl, who figured prominently in Mrs. Breen's first suit for divorce, had refused to come to New York from Toronto to testify in Breen's defense in this second case, giving as her reason her recent marriage to a man named Ferguson, to whom she was engaged at the time her name was linked with Breen's in the former action.

Robert P. Lyle, an ex-policeman from Toronto, was called as a witness, to testify that Miss Diehl had once been arrested and fined in the Canadian city on a charge of disorderly conduct.

It was Mrs. Elizabeth King, a dressmaker of Peterboro, who brought the name of Mrs. Reese into the suit as second co-defendant. She testified to a conversation she had overheard between Breen and Mrs. Reese in her own home.

"Breen said he didn't love Croker's daughter," the witness repeated, "and that he was going to be divorced. He said his father-in-law had offered him \$50,000 but that he wouldn't take it."

"When he gives me \$100,000 I'll sign a receipt with both hands," Breen was alleged to have said on that occasion.

"I also heard him tell Mrs. Reese that he had twenty or thirty girls on his string in Peterboro," the witness continued. Mrs. Reese laughed and said "I hope I'm not the thirtieth."

"Oh no, kid, you're not," she said. Breen replied, "I've known you too long."

**GIBBONS-SID BURNS BOUT POSTPONED BECAUSE OF ENGLISH BOXER'S ILLNESS.**

Opponent of St. Paul Middleweight, Suffering From Stomach Trouble, Collapsed Doing Road Work.

The ten-round bout between Mike Gibbons of St. Paul and Sid Burns, the English welterweight, scheduled for tomorrow night at Madison Square Garden was indefinitely postponed to-day because of the sudden illness of Burns. The Englishman collapsed on the road at Rye Beach, where he has been doing his training.

Doctors who attended him said stomach trouble was the cause of the sudden attack. Dr. Joe Creamer for the Garden A. C. was sent to Rye as soon as the club officials heard the news, and he pronounced Burns a really sick man. The climate affected him, said Creamer. Eddie Reddy, manager of Gibbons, refused to take Burns's \$29 forfeit when he heard the facts.

The club officials profess to be disappointed, saying that there had been a big advance sale of tickets for the bout. Another date will be arranged as soon as Burns gets well.

Child Falls to Death From Window

Morris Goldstein, three years old, the younger of six children of Mrs. Leah Goldstein, fell from the third story window of his home at No. 644 Lexington avenue, Brooklyn, to-day and was instantly killed. The child opened the window to watch the elevated train go by and in getting out on the ledge missed his footing and tumbled into the street.

### RICHESON WAITING FOR DEATH ASKS TO SEE BROTHER

Condemned Man Declares He Is in Good Condition and Can Stand the Ordeal.

TO DIE AT MIDNIGHT.

"Have Made Peace With God and Am Resigned," He Tells the Prison Warden.

BOSTON, May 20.—When Clarence V. T. Richeson, the slayer of Miss Avis Linnell, reflected that he probably had less than twelve hours to live he expressed a desire this afternoon to see his brother, Douglas Richeson of Chicago, who is in the city. The former clergyman told his spiritual adviser, Rev. Dr. Herbert S. Johnson, that he would not urge his brother to call if the latter thought he could not undergo the ordeal, but would be pleased to see him. The prisoner said that so far as he was concerned he could meet his brother without fear of collapsing. He had reconciled himself to his fate, he added, and felt that he was at peace with God and the world.

The condemned man slept soundly for four hours this morning, after being awake nearly all night. He was calm and even cheerful at times during the night, occasionally singing a hymn or repeating his favorite Scriptural passages.

Rev. Herbert W. Robbins, the prison chaplain, was with Richeson until 9 A. M., when he awoke. Rev. Dr. Johnson stayed in the death chamber until afternoon, arranging to return again at night and minister to the prisoner in his last moments. Richeson had little appetite, and remained resting on his cot during the forenoon.

"I'll name the compromise candidate. He will be me."

**"I'LL NAME THE COMPROMISE CANDIDATE. HE WILL BE ME."**

Warden Benjamin F. Bridges, Deputy Warden Michael J. Murphy and Rev. Father J. J. Murphy, Roman Catholic chaplain, engaged in prison work, were among those who called to see the condemned man. Father Murphy asked Richeson how he felt and urged him to make his final peace with God.

The former minister spent much of his time to-day in prayer and in reading his Bible.

Rev. Dr. Johnson, when asked if he thought Richeson would leave a statement, said:

"I rather think he will, but am not certain." Richeson received a number of letters from acquaintances and wrote a number himself. He arranged for the distribution of his books to ministers and others with whom he had been friendly.

Richeson's brother decided not to visit the State prison, but will remain in the city until the body leaves for Virginia.

**RICHESON WOULD OPPOSE FURTHER DELAY.**

After conferring with Dr. Johnson in the warden's office this afternoon Attorney Morse visited Richeson. He found his client calm and anxious to have the sentence of the law carried out to-night.

Mr. Morse in an interview said: "A man was in my office a short time ago who urged me to go to the courts to get out a writ of habeas corpus with the purpose of procuring a stay of execution in Richeson's case. Many have urged me to do that. The man left here threatening to go to the Governor."

"But I know absolutely that Richeson was made up his mind to die and he does not want any delay. This has been a very long story and the last chapter is being written to-day. It will be finished shortly after midnight to-night."

"Richeson is going to die without holding a grudge against any one. He has earnestly uttered a bare word, and to me personally and to those who come in contact with him he has again and again expressed his gratitude."

A desire that the last hour of his earthly existence might come speedily was apparently the dominating thought in the mind of Richeson as he rose from bed in prison to-day. The young Virginian who shortly after midnight tonight will probably pay the penalty of his crime, has become completely reconciled to his fate.

"I will be ready when you want me, Warden," he said to Gen. Bridges last night when that official paid him a brief visit. And he added: "Do not worry, I shall not break down. I have

### Ty Cobb, Who Urged Tigers To Call Off Their Strike



### I'm the Only Compromise Candidate, Says Roosevelt

CAMBRIDGE, Ohio, May 20.—Col. Roosevelt served notice to-day that he would resist any compromise at the Republican National Convention. "There can be no compromise," he said in Cambridge. "Some of our opponents are saying that neither Mr. Taft nor I should be nominated."

"I'll name the compromise candidate. He will be me."

### LORIMER GIVEN A CLEAN BILL BY FELLOW-SENATORS ROYAL SCANDAL REPORT AROUSES KING OF BELGIUM

No Corruption in His Election Is the Majority Report of Committee. Prosecutes Persons Who Told False Story of Love Intrigue and Shooting by Queen.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The case of Senator Lorimer of Illinois, whose election was alleged to have been bought through corruption, to-day was placed before the Senate for final action. Majority and minority reports were made by the special investigating committee, the former upholding and the latter condemning the Senator.

The majority reported that all the rules of law, judicial procedure and justice required that the Senate's former judgment in Senator Lorimer's favor be held final and conclusive, and that there was absolutely no new and substantial evidence discovered on this investigation, his election being the "logical result of existing political conditions in Illinois."

The minority reported that the evidence presented at the second investigation was "bolder and more far-reaching" than the previous inquiry brought out and that it conclusively established that at least ten of the votes cast for Lorimer were corrupt and his election, therefore, invalid.

The minority report was signed by Senators Kern and Lusk, Democrats, and Keegan, Republican.

The majority report was submitted by Chairman Dillingham and had the approval of Senators (Roosevelt and Jordan), Republicans, and Fletcher and Johnston of Alabama, Democrats.

Under the head "no corruption in his election," which ends the ninety-one-page report, the five members that signed the majority report solemnly aver:

"We are convinced that no vote was

### TIGER TEAM AGREES TO PLAY WHEN NAVIN OFFERS AID TO COBB

Owner Promises to Pay All Fines and Assures Suspended Player He Will Get Fair Trial in New York.

REGULARS AND SENATORS IN GAME TO-MORROW.

Mutineers Declare They Win Principle Involved in Strike and Will Hereafter Get Protection.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—The baseball strike inaugurated by the Detroit team last Saturday came to an end at 3:35 P. M. to-day when President Frank Navin of the Detroit Club announced in the presence of all the players that the team would play Washington to-morrow without the services of "Ty" Cobb, who still stands suspended for his attack on a spectator in New York last week.

President Navin informed the players that he would do his utmost to have the suspension of Cobb lifted at the earliest moment and that he would take care of all fines inflicted upon the players for their strike. The players have consented to return on this promise because they feel that Mr. Navin was the innocent sufferer in this extraordinary affair. The players desire it distinctly understood that the principle involved upon which they struck will be taken up and fought to a finish with the American League.

The players announced in the presence of Mr. Navin that hereafter, if they can have it, an investigation shall be made before a player is suspended. Mr. Navin promised the players in the presence of the newspaper men that he would take up with the American League the question of protecting the players against unsportsmanlike conduct on the part of spectators.

The players say that this action was not taken as a result of anything Ban Johnson has done; that their fight against what they termed the arrogance of the American League President is still on.

Cobb may get back into game on Wednesday. While no official announcement on the subject has been made, it is expected that Cobb will be back in the game by Wednesday or Thursday.

When Mr. Navin got here from Detroit this morning he was pretty good over the situation. After a talk with the players and Hughie Jennings, his manager, he expressed himself as satisfied that while the men were undoubtedly hasty in declaring a strike there was some justification because of their admiration for Cobb, their star teammate. Then he had a consultation with Ban Johnson and another with the striking players, after which the players held a long meeting behind closed doors.

It is understood that the strikers will be fined by Ban Johnson for refusing to play on Saturday, but that no particular effort will be made to ascertain if the fines come from the pockets of the players or from the bankroll of President Navin, also that Cobb will be given an immediate and impartial trial in New York.

Many witnesses have volunteered by wire to testify in Cobb's defense. These include New York fans who saw his assault on Luckner last Wednesday and heard what led up to it.

If the Detroit players don't win and Jennings without Cobb that volatile player will have much to do with bringing about the result. It is stated on good authority that at the meeting of the players held at the Aldine Hotel this afternoon Cobb urged his teammates to call the strike off, saying that he was confident he would get a fair deal in the investigation and would not suffer from his suspension.

**MAGNETS MEET TO PLAN HELP FOR DETROIT.**

To-day's game, scheduled for Suba Park, was postponed by agreement. A meeting of the owners of American League clubs has been called for to-morrow, and, besides Navin, Frank

**Baseball Scores To-Day**

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**

**AT CINCINNATI.**

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**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**

**AT NEW YORK.**